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## Editorial

### **Starting in 2016, the LSP Journal will be oriented towards International Business Communication**

This issue will be the last “traditional” one. Our journal is about to modernize its scope, tuning it to the actual research and teaching environment which houses it, i.e. [the Department of International Business Communication \(IBC\)](#) at the Copenhagen Business School. Our legacy with a focus on languages for special purposes will be kept – and so will our community of authors and readers we hope - but the general scope will be oriented towards the interlingual and intercultural challenges posed by communication in a globalized business and organizational context.

The mission statement of the IBC is as follows:

*Through dialogue with the business community and through the initiative Humanities in Business, IBC contributes to the development of humanities-based research and teaching which equip students with business-relevant competences.*

*Department of International Business Communication (IBC) is dedicated to research and education within the professional communication of businesses and the language, culture and communication technology challenges faced by international private and public businesses and organisations.*

*IBC collaborates with organizations, businesses and partners in education with a view to identifying and shedding light on current challenges through the department's research. Moreover, IBC conducts research in education and didactics in collaboration with national institutions of research and education.*

During 2015, we shall set up a new editorial board and work on defining the renewed scope. At the same time, we shall enlarge the group of reviewers in accordance with the redefined scope, and probably in the late autumn of 2015, we shall publish the scope of the reborn journal as a special issue and present the new editorial team. At that time, we shall make an official call for papers.

No other issues will thus be published in 2015. This means that submissions made from now on will not be published until 2016.

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Editor in Chief

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